

# 2017 SUMMER ACADEMIES



## Growth Mindset: A Game Changer for Learning

Based on the Growth Mindset belief that intelligence can be developed with persistence, effort, and focus on improvement, this session will provide an understanding of how a growth mindset focus helps all students perform and how productive struggle actually helps the brain. Walk away with strategies to use in the classroom and practical ways to get buy-in from students, parents, and staff.

## Effective Feedback to Improve Learning

New for summer 2017! Learn research-based strategies for feedback that propels learners forward. Our newest 3-hour session allows participants to apply the characteristics of effective feedback and provides practice and tools for giving feedback to students.

### JUNE ACADEMY DATES AND LOCATIONS

#### **Bowling Green**

**JUNE 12**

Growth Mindset  
8:30-11:30 am CT

Effective Feedback  
12:30-3:30 pm CT

#### **Lexington**

**JUNE 19**

Growth Mindset  
8:30-11:30 am ET

Effective Feedback  
12:30-3:30 pm ET

## PARAEDUCATORS

### Effective Strategies for Paraeducators

Receive research-based strategies for building positive relationships with collaborating teachers and also with students. Includes specific instructional strategies for paraeducators to use with students.

### Paraeducators as Partners in Increasing Achievement

Explore the four factors that strongly impact student achievement: growth mindset, relationships, feedback, and student engagement.

#### **Bowling Green**

**June 13**

Effective Strategies, 8:30-11:30 am CT  
Paraeducators as Partners, 12:30-3:30 pm CT

#### **Lexington**

**June 20**

Effective Strategies, 8:30-11:30 am ET  
Paraeducators as Partners, 12:30-3:30 pm ET

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## Teacher's Toolbox

In this 3-hour session, participants will explore the greatest hits of research-based instructional strategies that teachers request most:

- Engaging students
- Differentiating instruction
- Closing achievement gaps
- Developing a growth mindset
- Using brain-based discipline techniques

## Essentials of On-Demand Writing

Writing is an important skill for students to achieve success in school and in life. This 3-hour session helps teachers know the characteristics of each mode of writing in the standards and implement writing for the classroom. Participants will also develop an understanding of how to prepare students for Kentucky's On-Demand assessment.

## Targeting the Disability Achievement Gap

Schools continuously target specific gap populations, but the disability gap is not closing fast enough for students to meet standards. In this 3-hour session, participants will explore common factors that have created opportunity gaps in schools and gain an understanding of how to address those. This workshop will provide instructional strategies that have been proven effective for students with disabilities.

## Reducing Novice Performance in Schools

This 3-hour session is designed for all educators to explore how schools can reduce novice performance and raise achievement for all students. Leave this workshop with specific strategies that can be implemented immediately.

### JULY ACADEMY DATES AND LOCATIONS

#### Lexington

##### JULY 17

Teacher's Toolbox  
8:30-11:30 am ET

Essentials of  
On-Demand Writing  
12:30-3:30 pm ET

##### JULY 18

Targeting Disability  
Achievement Gap  
8:30-11:30 am ET

Reducing Novice  
Performance  
12:30-3:30 pm ET

#### Bowling Green

##### JULY 24

Teacher's Toolbox  
8:30-11:30 am CT

Essentials of  
On-Demand Writing  
12:30-3:30 pm CT

##### JULY 25

Targeting Disability  
Achievement Gap  
8:30-11:30 am CT

Reducing Novice  
Performance in Schools  
12:30-3:30 pm CT

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